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next week on LB 958.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Jensen, you're recognized to open on the motion to suspend the rules.

SENATOR JENSEN: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Members of the Legislature, I would like to suspend the rules. We had a...have a hearing scheduled for next Wednesday to hear assisted living...a bill that Senator Suttle has before the committee and, for medical reasons, she will not be here. We would like to reschedule that meeting or that hearing one week later on the 30th. So I'd ask for a suspension of the rules to change the hearing date. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you. You've heard the opening. Debate on the motion? Senator Jensen, you're recognized to close. He waives that opportunity. The question before the body is the rule suspension motion to cancel the hearing. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Record.

CLERK: 37 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to suspend the rules to permit cancelation of the public hearing.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: The rule are suspended and the hearing is cancelled. Mr. Clerk, new bill titles.

CLERK: Mr. President, I do have new bills, thank you. (Read LB 1178-1185 by title for the first time.) In addition to those items, Mr. President, hearing notices from Health and Human Services, General Affairs Committee, and Transportation, and that's all that I had, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 276-278.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you. We next move to LB 600. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 600, a bill originally introduced by Senator Coordsen and others. (Read title.) Bill was introduced on January 12 of last year, at that time referred to the Revenue Committee. The bill was reported to General File by the Revenue Committee with committee amendments attached, Mr. President.